NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received until 9:00 A.M. on **WEDNESDAY**, **APRIL 20**, **2005** in the Office of the City Engineer, Public Works Department (Engineering and Architectural Services), City Hall, 100 North Andrews Avenue, 4th Floor, City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida and opened immediately thereafter in the Conference Room, for **PROJECT 10782**, "**LAKE AIRE NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENTS**".

This project consists of Drawing File No. 04-128-40, five (5) sheets plus cover, dated March 2005.

The work to be accomplished under this contract includes, but is not limited to, the removal of existing street name signposts; followed by the supply and installation of decorative posts, street name sign/logo brackets, traffic signs, street name signs, and neighborhood logo signs.

Bidding blanks may be obtained at the Office of the City Engineer. Plans and specifications are on file in the Office of the City Engineer.

It will be the sole responsibility of the bidder to clearly mark bid as such, and ensure that his bid reaches the City prior to the bid opening date and time listed.

A certified check, cashier's check, bank officer's check or bid bond for five percent (5%) of the amount bid, made payable to the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, shall accompany each proposal.

The City of Fort Lauderdale reserves the right to waive any informality in any bid and to reject any or all bids.

This project is funded by a COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Bidders' attention is invited to the following requirements which must be complied with:

This work is subject to the prevailing wage rates and to the Equal Employment Opportunity requirements established by the U.S. Department of Labor.

Bidders must comply with the President's Executive Order Nos. 11246 and 11375, which prohibit discrimination in employment regarding race, color, creed, sex, or national origin.

Bidders must comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Davis-Bacon Act, the Anti-Kickback Act and the Contract Work Hours Standards Act.

Bidders must certify that they do not, and will not, maintain or provide for their employees any facilities that are segregated on the basis of race, creed, color or national origin.

Bidders must comply with the goals and timetables for female and minority participation in the construction industry (41 CFR Part 60-4) which establishes goals for the use of women and minorities by Contractors on this construction work. The Contractor commits itself and all subcontractors to these goals by submitting a properly signed bid.

Bidders must comply with Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 which requires that economic opportunities to the greatest extent feasible, be given to low and very low-income persons, and to businesses that provide economic opportunities for these persons.

Bidders must comply with all other requirements of the COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT Program.

Information on bid results and projects currently out to bid can be obtained by calling the pre-recorded City of Fort Lauderdale Bid Information Line at (954) 828-5688. For general inquiries - please call (954) 828-5772.

Jonda K. Joseph City Clerk